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Sir:

PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed May 2, 2007, for three months from August 2, 2007 to November 2, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. <u>09-0528</u> for the Petition fee of \$1,050.00 <u>and/or</u> any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment. This document is submitted in duplicate for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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